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MACHINE-BUILDING PLANTS COMPLETE PLANS.  
PRODUCE NEW EQUIPMENT

**TBILISI ENTERPRISES REPORT SUCCESS -- Zarya Vostoka, No 219, 2 Nov 48**

The Tbilisi Machine-Tool Building Plant named Kirov has realized more than 1.3 million rubles of profit so far in 1948. The plant is converting to assembly-line methods the production of parts for the DIP-300 lathe.

The Machine-Building Plant imeni 26 komissarov has realized more than 2 million rubles profit by extensive mechanization of labor-consuming processes, improving the technology of processing metals, and improving the quality of production.

The "Tsentrolit" Plant exceeded the 9-month gross-production plan. The Plant has put four casting machines into operation this year and has saved more than 500,000 rubles.

The "Stanok" Plant exceeded the 9-month plan.

A completely automatic sl. vc pipe cutting-off machine tool of the "9B165" type was put into production in October 1948 at the Tbilisi Machine-Tool Building Plant.

GOMEL' PLANT UPS PEAT-MACHINE OUTPUT -- Sovetskaya Kirgiziya, No 218, 2 Nov 48

The Gomel' "Dvigatel' revolyutsii" Machine-Building Plant of the Ministry of Local Fuel Industry Belorussian SSR completed the 1948 gross-production plan on 20 October 1948. During 1948 the plant started production of 24 different types of machines for the peat industry.

The plant has promised to provide the Bobruysk Machine-Building Plant with parts for dredge-elevator machines and the necessary technical aid for producing the machines.

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ELECTRIC EXCAVATOR MADE IN KRAMATORSK -- Pravda Ukrainy, No 260, 2 Nov 48

The Novo-Kramatorsk Plant imeni Stalin has just produced its first electric caterpillar excavator designed for heavy loading work in quarries. The excavator has 20,700 parts and a 3-cubic-meter bucket. It weighs 172 tons.

ZHDANOV PLANT REACHES PREWAR LEVEL -- Pravda Ukrainy, No 260, 2 Nov 48

The "Ultramarine" Plant in Zhdanov has attained the prewar level of gross-production output and has pledged to complete the Five-Year Plan by 1 May 1949.

NEW DEVICE FOR REGENERATING LUBRICATING OIL -- Sovetskaya Kirgiziya, No 218, 2 Nov 48

The Osh Motor Repair Plant has produced 20 devices for regenerating used lubricating oil. Tests have shown that the regenerated oil is just as good as new oil. The regenerating device was designed to operate on wood and coal, but the heating system has been converted to operate on waste products obtained from the regeneration of the oil with a small quantity of petroleum added. The device will enable MTSs of Osh Oblast to regenerate up to 80 tons of lubricating oil per year and to save nearly 60,000 rubles.

ARTEL COMPLETES YEAR PLAN -- Sovetskaya Belorussiya, No 218, 2 Nov 48

The "Krasnyy Metallist" Artel, largest in Bobruysk Oblast, completed the 1948 production plan and produced 2,310,000 rubles worth of goods above the 1947 level.

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